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**PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER
37 CFR 1.137(b) AND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

This Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned U.S. Patent Application 10/099,890 is filed in response to the Notice of Abandonment dated April 23, 2007.

As per the Notice of Abandonment, the applicant failed to file a response to the Final Office Action mailed June 12, 2006. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this petition was unintentional.

Per the requirements of the Final Office Action mailed June 12, 2006, Applicant submits herewith an Amendment and Response to the outstanding Final Office Action, as well as a Notice of Appeal.

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As applicant believes it has now met the requirements of the Final Office Action mailed June 12, 2006, Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to grant this Petition to Revoke. It is respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn, and that examination of the application be continued accordingly.

The PTO is hereby authorized to charge the \$770 Petition fee and any additional fees required to the undersigned attorney's PTO Deposit Account #50-1047.

Respectfully submitted,



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Please see attached: Petition Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and Amendment After
 Final Rejection (12 pgs);
 Notice of Appeal (1 pg);
 Petition to Revive (2 pgs)

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